



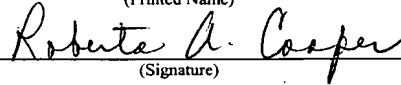
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Applicant: Dougherty et al.
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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated August 11, 2004, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant has enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

A Listing of Claims begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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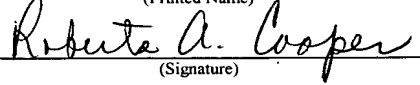
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Reply and Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.111 (15 pages).
[X] Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR § 1.56 (3 pages).
[X] Form PTO/SB/08 (6 pages) with 162 listed references.
[X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	38	-	38	=	0	x	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	3	-	3	=	0	x	\$88.00	=	\$0.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:							+	\$300.00	= \$0.00
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☒ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

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CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:		\$110.00
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☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover one-month extension of time.


☒ A check in the amount of \$180 is enclosed to cover submission of information disclosure statement.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1447. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 06-1447.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date 11/17/2004

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